

ABSTRACT**A PROCESS FOR THE PREPARATION OF FERUTININE FROM
FERULA GENUS PLANTS**

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The invention relates to a process for the preparation of ferutinine (**Ia**) from *Ferula spp* extracts comprising basic hydrolysis of the extracts and treatment with *p*-pivaloyloxybenzoic acid. The invention relates also to the use of the extracts and ferutinine in the cosmetic and dermatological field.

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